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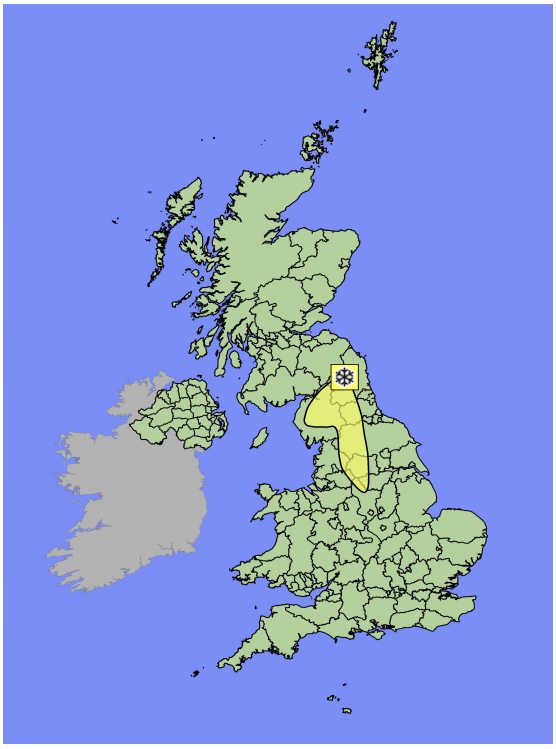

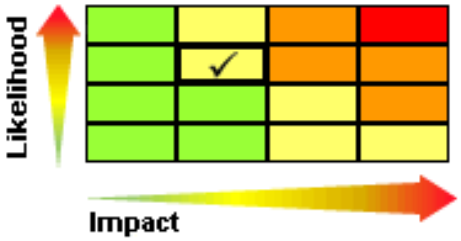

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Heavy showers passing through will merge at times give longer spells of rain, sleet and snow. In these longer spells, precipitation will chill the air and allow snow to penetrate to quite low levels at times. Wet surfaces and a widespread frost tonight brings the likelihood of icy roads, for which a separate warning will be issued.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **10:00 on Fri, 27th Jan 2012** until **17:00 on Fri, 27th Jan 2012**

A mixture of rain, sleet and snow crossing the area is expected to turn to snow mainly above about 200 metres, though in heavier bursts sleet or snow will occur at all levels. Accumulations of over 5 cm are expected in places above 200 m, with local, temporary slushy deposits on grass to low levels. The public should be aware of the risk of disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html

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